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PENFIELD'S ANCONA REPORT

ton yesterday shows the sort of stuff tubs. the Vienna foreign office is prepared long as we will take it.

The submarine, Ambassador Penfield has been informed, was particular to a degree not to do to the Ancona a single thing that is not accepted as good form in the best international circles. The ship was not shelled until she tried to escape capture. She was not shelled after she stopped her flight. Her small boats were not shelled. Her passen-

right.

MITIGATING UNEMPLOYMENT

For the first time the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor last year expended more than three-quarters of a million dollars in relief-to be exact, \$786,000. The reason, of course, was the industrial crisis, with so much unemployment. The relief bureau of the organization cared for 12,000 families in the year ended September 30, and in February had on its hands at one time 6,000 families, represent-30,000 persons.

But all this is history. The most interesting feature of the annual re- Bureau of Foreign and Domestic port of Bailey B. Burritt, general Commerce, of the Department of director, is its consideration of the Commerce, gave Washington busifuture. Despite the lesson of the ness men some wholesome advice at past winter, he comments, nothing the credit men's luncheon yesterday. has been done by the community It takes a long time to kill a false

for dealing with unemployment. three days of work weekly at mak- But the fact does need to be brought ing roads, draining, clearing, and home to shoppers in Maryland and year.

In striking degree the association cities. s turning from cure to prevention. ferings and in sanitation have been Washington's trade bodies. pened within the year. Two noteworthy and apparently successful experiments have been made—a Our ambassador at Vienna has kitchen which cooks for families not had time to get from the Aus- where the wife or mother is emtrian government answers to the ployed all day, and a laundry which specific questions he was instructed does thirty pounds of family washby the State Department to ask ing for 25 cents for those who live about the sinking of the Ancona, in tenements where there is no runbut his report received in Washing- ning hot water and no stationary

Is it too much to hope that under to dish out to us through such a the leadership of this and other fardiplomatic genius as Penfield, so seeing organizations we shall ultimately do away with a great proportion of preventable poverty?

THE CHICAGO BABY'S CASE

own instrumentalities for deciding the course to be taken. If it is desirable that hopelessly defective children be permitted, in such cases, to be removed by natural processes then it is desirable that all of this class be so removed, not that half of them, because their mothers take a particular view, be surrendered while the other half be saved. There must be a mode of determination which shall eliminate the purely personal and sentimental considera-

tion, and give a verdict on the facts. HELPING WASHINGTON TRADE

Edward A. Brand, chief of the

toward establishing permanent plans impression in the commercial world. He pointed to the ancient idea that The real remedy, obviously, lies retail prices in Washington are unwith industry itself, but the city, duly high as an example. He said State, and nation can in a measure it is the duty of Capital merchants prevent the recurrence of such acute to controvert this idea at every step. distress. For one thing, the associa- They have been doing it on such extion suggests that one of its own peditions as the junket of Washingideas might be expanded to impor- ton business men through neighbortant proportions. Last winter it ar- ing States. The idea no longer preranged to give unemployed men vails among Washington shoppers.

The Washington Times otherwise improving city parks and Virginia, who believe that things other property.

Some of the suggestions thrown Valuable work in preventive medi- out by Mr. Brand are worthy of concine has been undertaken. Widows sideration. Merchants' meetings with children are being pensioned should be more in evidence, factory in proportion to their needs. It has erection should be considered, co-op been made increasingly dangerous erative delivery should be furthe for husbands and fathers to desert developed, industrial expeditions their charges. Three food stores open a wide field, and transporta-which are models in economical of-

GETTING DOWN TO BUSINESS

The Crimean war affords a rough parallel to conditions in the near East at the present time. The allies on operations at a great distance from their home base, separated from it by a great distance that re- today. | quired to be covered by sea trans-

In that war there was rather a for employment, hospital care, medical recepted as good form in the best international circles. The ship was not shelled until she tried to escape apture. She was not shelled after the stopped her flight. Her small coats were not shelled. Her passengers and crew, perishing wholesale to the better course, is that life must be preserved whenever possible. It the ship or in the sea, were not the ship or in the sea, were not the little matter of torpedoing, so far as the Penfield report reveals, is not worth mentioning. Why should much an incident, trivial, though un-learner with it in a findient, trivial, though un-learner with its very sort, and the world has been one of the things on which

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sounds more like ping!

And the man mistaken for a rabbit can't even leave a libel suit to his

In addition to his own men, General Villa is now leading all of Car-

Although not averse to a little libation, Senor Villa objects to Obregon as a chaser. This year's bumper crop doesn't

include the ones several nominee will receive next fall. With all the surgeons busy as

bees, it looks as if life in gay Vienna will be more artificial than ever. What we desire to ascertain is

whether these vessels are being warned before or after the torpedo-Young American physicians going to Europe to make their mark,

shouldn't object to being used as When all other alibis fail in Haiti the gentle natives unravel a few chimneys and proceed to riot for

Begins to appear as if Constantine will refuse to allow any open shooting season for bipeds in Greece this

Personal Service Rather Than Material Aid Asked, Say Volunteer Workers.

Showing that 3,467 families were as sisted last year, and that 542 volunteer workers now are enlisted in the work of extending such assistance, a resume of that time were compelled to carry of work done by the Citizens' Relief Association, the Associated Charities, and the Summer Outings Committee, was

quired to be covered by sea transportation in a time when that mode of transport was far slower than now. There has been a good deal of fundamental military criticism of that entire series of operations, in which, however, the alies won a victory.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—If you faced the alternative of lowing your train or \$5,000 worth of jewels and clothing, which would you choose? Mrs. J. Baer, of Pittsburgh, elected to catch her train.

train.

She is the daughter of Charles Sidenberg, importer, at 114 Pifth avenue. Her suitcase, containing the valuables, dropped from a taxicab on Central Park West. She couldn't 'spare time to look for it. It contained:

One pearl collar, one gold bag, one diamond horseshoe pin, one diamond bar pin, two pearl studs, one pearl sticknin one tewel case, one gold watch.

pin, one jewel case, one gold watch, two pearl baby pins and a silver nail But Mrs. Baer caught her train.

Mrs. Marius R. Campbell Will Lecture On Park

The Glacier National Park will be the subject of a lecture by Mrs. Marius R. Campbell, at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Brotherhood of Gurley Memorial Presbyterian Church.

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Mrs. Campbell is a lecturer of note, and having experienced many months of camp life in this famous park is well qualified to talk interestingly and the grandrous beguites instructively on the wondrous beauties of nature to be found there.

The lecture will be given at the church, Fourteenth and Meridian streets. Admission will be by card.

Booker Washington To Be Honored In Capital

A national memorial meeting for Booker T. Washington is to be held in the African M. E. Church here shortly after the first of the year, and a committee headed by Henry Lassiter has been organized to make arrangements and invite representatives from other cities. Flags on all of the colored schools were lowered to half-mast yeaterday out of respect to the colored educator.

By-Assisting Farmers GOOD SHOWING MADE FAMILIES IN YEAR Government Hopes to IN REPORT OF G. W. U. Reduce Cost of Living Contributions to University For

Convention in Session in St. Louis Under Auspices of Agricultural Department to Devise Plans For Improvement and Co-operation.

By JUDSON C. WELLIVER.

To devise plans for a close organization of the national agricultural industries, for widespread improvement of farming methods, and for co-operation between this betterment work and the Bureau of Markets, a national convention is in session in St. Louis this week,

under auspices of the Department of Agriculture.

It is hoped that means may be perfected for making a complete success, just as soon as possible, of the great scheme outlined in the Smith-Lever legislation, for Federal subsidy to efforts in behalf of better agriculture.

So far as the general public is concerned, the most important for the university was increased as follows: Library books, \$4,658.50; equipment, \$16,008.55; real estate, \$8,164.79, and ended the mort and equipment and equipment and equipment at \$13,300.

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aspects of this gathering will be suggested by the announcement that relations between agricultural betterment and rural marketing are to be considered. to be considered

WOULD REDUCE COST OF LIVING.

hids combinations in restraint of the court decisions ours is doubt-less a combination in restraint of trade. l'inder the court decisions us acceptables a combination in restraint of trade. But we happen to know that its intention is to promote trade; to save these pecans and make them worth something to us. We have organized a co-operative marketing plan under which an Atlanta agency will bandle our output, learn where the markets are, get the best prices possible, teach us how to handle and sort our nuts, and in general make those pecan trees worth something to their owners, while giving the nuts to people who like nuts."

Exemptor Community Captured.

Farming Community Captured. As Senator Butler says, it may be a violation of the curious anti-trust laws violation of the curious anti-trust laws of this country to do the only thing of this country to do the only thing that can possibly make those pecan trees worth having, or give a value to their product. But it happens that the St. Louis convention, under the auspices of the Department of Agriculture, is going in for exactly the same sort of thing. It need be no surprise if one of thing. It need be no surprise if one of thing. It need be no surprise if one of the goes out and gots an injunction to restrain the Department of Agriculture from carrying on a considerable part of its activities.

Congress has set the Justice office at work to prevent combinations in research of the surprise of the surprise if one of the surprise if one of this activities.

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work to prevent combinations in re-straint of trade, and at the same time has given money to promote the very same restraints, in the form of modern-ized, co-operative marketing.

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Year Total \$11,843.42, Says Treasurer.

Contributions to George Washington University during the year ended August 31 amounted to \$11,843.42, according to the report of Treasurer Charles W.

These donations were applied as follows: Prizes, \$65; maintenance, \$5,120; buildings and grounds, \$3,650, and books, \$8,42.

The year was the most prosperous one financially in more than a decade. The property of the university was increased

'SHOP EARLY" SIGNS

by the Rev. F. P. Donnelly, S. J., as a result of the success attending the singing of one of Father Donnelly's compositions, "What an Irishman Means By Machree." which was sung at the minstrel performance given last night at Gonzaga Hall. Father Donnelly has just come to St. Aloysua' Church as pastor, and has already madomany friends.

The performance given last night is regarded as one of the best the Gonzaga actors have given. The hall was crowded with friends of the organization when the curtain rose on the old-fashioned National—John Drew in The Chief,
b. m. Belasco—Sam Sothern in "A Pair of Silk
Stockings," 8:20 p. m.
Keith's—Bernard Granville and others in
vaudeville, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
Poli's—A. H. Van Buran in "The Trail of
the Lonesome Pine," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
Columbia—Marguerite Clark in "Still
Waters," photoplay, 12 to 11 p. m.
Gayety—Ai Reeves in burlesque, 2:15 and 8:15
p. m. ed with friends of the organization when the curtain rose on the old-fashioned minstrel first part. The semi-cricle of blackface entertainers included: End men, William H. Sanderson, Edmund Murphy, Joseph Parson Halloran, and Finley S. Hayes; interlocutor, George J. Sanderson; choristers, Francis Aldridge, Harry Burns, William Creveling, Thomas A. Cantwell, Raiph B. Cady, Frank A. Dougherty, Frank O'Reilly, Robert O'Lone, Thomas C. Schell, Aloystus Shields, William A. Smith, and William Wilding.

The entertainment was under the direction of Finley S. Hayes, with Prof. p. in. p. in.

Tomorrow.

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Teachers' Institute, Pirst Congregational Church, 9 a. m., 1:46 p. m., and 8 p. m.
Mission for Non-Catholies, St. Patrick's Church, 7:20 p.m.
Lecture, 1:20 p.m.
Lecture, 2:20 p.m.
Luncheon, Mothers' Circle of the Pairbrother School, Old Masonio Temple, 11:20 p.m.
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 Metropons, No. 10:
bekahs
Knights of Pythias—Syracusians, No. 10:
Hathbone Temple, No. 3, Pythian Sisiera,
Daughters of America—Mizpah Council, No.

 No. 1 Degree of Pocahontas-Idaho Council, No L. initiation.

Sons of Veterans-Gen, Thomas Camp. No. II, "Veterans" might." Northeast Temple; Lincoln Camp. No. 5, "veterans" might," Perpetual Hall, Eleventh and E streets north-

One Year Ago Today in the War Roumania called 1916-17 recruits.

British naval guns bombarded Dixmude.

The first meeting of the Junior De-tating Society of Georgetown Law School was held last evening. It was stimated that 500 men from the two over classes were in attendance Presi-tent Hogen presided and outlined the surposes and aims of the organization of the counting year. Arrangements